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Scissors for Cutting Narrow Curves

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item (1) 27-06-2002	PA 2002 01009	DK		
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Further priority claims are indicated in the Supplemental Box.

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Date (day/month/year)	Number	Country (or regional Office)
09-07-2002	SN 39041 DK	DK

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claims : 2

abstract : 1

drawings : 2

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